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TITLE:

METHOD FOR EXTRACTING HYDROGEN FROM A GAS THAT CONTAINS METHANE, PARTICULARLY NATURAL GAS, AND

SYSTEM FOR CARRYING OUT THE METHOD

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the First Office Action dated October 16, 2008, with the period for response extended for two months or until March 16, 2009, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 6 of this paper.